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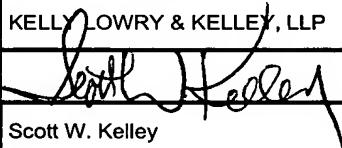
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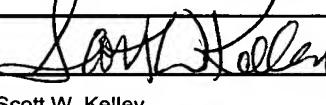
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Application Number	10/616,237
Filing Date	July 8, 2003
First Named Inventor	Steve B. Pinney
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Art Unit	1772
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	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	-0-
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	-0-
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	-0-
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	-0-
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	-0-

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

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Small Entity  
Fee (\$) Fee (\$)  
50 25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)  
15 - 15 HP = -0- x 25 = -0-

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Indep. Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)  
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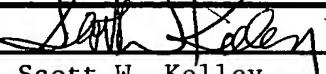
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Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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**In re Application of**

) Group Art Unit: 1772

**Steve B. Pinney**

Examiner: Rayford, Sandra M.

Serial No. 10/616,237

Filed: July 8, 2003

For: **COMPOSITE FIBER-RESIN** )

For: **COMPOSITE FIBER-RESIN )**  
**TUBE WITH DIAMETRAL )**  
**FIBER TRUSS AND METHOD )**  
**OF MANUFACTURE )**

## AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated December 7, 2004, in connection with the above-identified application the following is submitted:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.